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In re application of: Kozyrski, et al.

Serial No.: 09/822,136
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For: ROTARY CUTTER



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

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Small Entity	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X\$ 9=	\$
X\$ 42=	\$
X\$ 140=	\$
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Large Entity	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE
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- ☐ Applicant petitions the Commissioner for a ____ month(s) extension of time to respond, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).
- X A check in the amount of \$ 138.00 is attached.
- X Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-0235 for any over or under payment of filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 for presentation of extra claims, or patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ Other: _____

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RESPONSE and AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 24 January 2002, having a period for response set to expire on 24 April 2002, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please add new claims 25-27:

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25. A rotary cutter for cutting thin sheet materials, comprising:
a handle having a hand grip portion; and
a circular cutting blade having a cutting edge, a diameter, and a thickness, wherein the cutting blade is pivotally mounted to the handle;
wherein the cutting edge includes an edge angle that is not less than forty degrees and not greater than fifty degrees.
26. The rotary cutter of claim 25, wherein the cutting edge includes an edge angle that is not less than forty-three degrees and not greater than forty-seven degrees.

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